GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:207
ANSWERED ON:01.08.2016
Export of Oilmeal Products
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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the quantum of oilmeal and oilmeal products exported to major countries, quantity and country-wise;

(b) whether the export of oilmeal products from the country has declined during the last three years and the current year and if so, the details thereof along with the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government has assessed the impact of decline in export of oilmeal and if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the steps being taken by the Government to boost the export of agricultural products including oilmeals?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
(SMT. NIRMALA SITHARAMAN)

a) to d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

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STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 207 FOR ANSWER ON 1st AUGUST, 2016 REGARDING "EXPORT OF OILMEAL PRODUCTS"

(a) The country-wise(top 30 export destination as per value in 2015-16) details of export of Oilmeals for the last three years and current year is attached as Annexure-1.

(b) Yes, Sir. The major reason for decline in export of Oilmeals has been lesser availability of oilseeds for crushing and continuous disparity between domestic and international prices. Production of Oilmeals is directly linked to domestic production of Oilseeds. Moreover, due to deficient rainfall in two successive years i.e. 2014 and 2015 and other natural calamities like hailstorm and unseasonal rain, the production of various commodities including oilseeds have declined in the country. The production data of nine major oilseeds for the last three years is given below:-
In Lakh Tonnes
2013-14 2014-15 2015-16
327.49 275.11 258.99*
*3rd Advance Estimates, Dte of Economics & Statistics

(c & d): Encouraging exports of agricultural products, including Oilmeal Products, is a continuous process. The Agricultural and Processed Food Export Development Authority (APEDA), an autonomous organisation under the Department of Commerce, provides financial assistance to exporters through various components of its Plan Scheme viz. Infrastructure Development, Market Promotion, Quality Development and Transport Assistance. Besides these measures, the Ministry of Commerce & Industry has put in place various schemes namely Market Development Assistance (MDA), Market Assistance Initiative (MAI) etc. to provide assistance to encourage exports. In addition to that, Department of Commerce also provides 5% reward rate under Merchandise Exports from India Scheme(MEIS) for export of Oilmeal Products.

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ANNEXURE-1
EXPORT OF OIL MEAL
COUNTRIES 2013-14 2014-15 2015-16 2016-17(Apr-May)
QTY(MTS) VAL(US $ M) QTY(MTS) VAL(US $ M) QTY(MTS) VAL(US $ M) QTY(MTS) VAL(US $ M)
KOREA RP 1178776 252.76 962762 183.43 710365 123.70 50681 6.87
BANGLADESH PR 3814562 221.49 451276 183.15 228739 78.65 18979 6.19
VIETNAM SOC REP 486117 145.08 357695 76.16 376845 69.16 62280 10.46
NEPAL 109278 45.96 112330 53.74 162897 47.91 10053 4.29
JAPAN 281189 136.22 74547 30.54 53175 25.32 7008 3.31
TAIWAN 163924 34.81 145065 28.98 130222 20.56 24031 2.88
THAILAND 419062 161.46 294741 77.39 67978 19.87 3129 1.07
MYANMAR 114845 60.34 97188 48.06 37676 17.00 6496 2.19

OMAN 65815 30.21 56206 21.29 46730 15.39 722 0.18
U S A 2824 2.00 4867 3.34 17721 12.88 4742 3.66
SRI LANKA DSR 90894 49.78 73198 38.43 21692 12.70 1900 1.04
INDONESIA 294211 117.82 145955 44.40 34453 12.25 1209 0.77
PAKISTAN IR 588697 311.78 309207 156.86 22314 11.18 29 0.02
KENYA 14213 8.46 13578 7.34 23493 11.05 2735 1.45
CHINA P RP 6731 4.12 29099 16.82 17986 9.59 548 0.22
KUWAIT 49278 26.47 50124 25.33 19109 9.04 503 0.33
CAMBODIA 32738 15.95 32530 12.49 23400 6.31
SAUDI ARAB 46892 24.24 1273 0.80 11968 5.91 6 0.01
IRAN 1175597 680.09 366336 155.68 11060 5.74 96 0.06
MALAYSIA 39850 15.76 15164 5.49 11533 4.11 2011 0.76
FRANCE 283612 147.52 165104 77.50 13146 4.08 1968 0.76
SWITZERLAND 996 0.87 514 0.45 3884 3.16 432 0.36
U K 5222 3.45 4320 2.77 4439 2.52 409 0.26
CANADA 597 0.41 1154 0.82 2810 2.16 921 0.67
SWEDEN 607 0.42 1680 1.44 2641 1.87 905 0.64
SUDAN 302 0.19 2197 1.53 3439 1.82
U ARAB EMTS 12679 6.52 7055 3.61 4390 1.73 1782 0.55
SINGAPORE 9354 4.87 9657 4.88 3043 1.56 117 0.06
BAHARAIN IS 3663 2.07 5543 2.61 2713 1.33 7 0.00
KOREA DP RP 2447 0.72 897 0.24 8406 1.30 4200 0.28
OTHER COUNTRIES 535240 284.56 113327 58.61 15911 8.54 2963 1.66
TOTAL 9830212 2796.40 3904589 1324.20 2094178 548.4 210862 51

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